MOTION FOR ELECTION TO THE ALL INDIA COUNCIL FOR TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्री. विज्ञान और पौद्योगिकी मंत्री तद्या महासागः विकास मंत्री (डा. मुरली मनोहर जोशी) : महोदय, मैं निम्नलिखित प्रस्ताव उपस्थित करता है:

> "अखिल मारतीय तकनीकी शिक्षा अधिनिगम, 1987 (1987 का 52) की घारा 4 की उपधारा (1) के साथ पठित घार: 3 की उक्घारा (4) के खंड (i) में अंतर्विष्ट उपबंधों के अनसरण में यह सभा ऐसी रीति से. जैसा सभापति निदेश दें. सभा के सदस्यों में से एक सदस्य को अखिल मारतीय तकनीकी शिक्षा परिषद का सदस्य होने के लिए निर्वाचित होने की कार्यवाही करे।"

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

STATEMENT REGARDING GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

THE MINITER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRLO, RAJAGOPAL): Sir, with your permission, I rise to announce that Government Business during the week commencing Monday, the 10th December, 2001 will consist of:

- Consideration and passing of the following Bills:
 - The Coast Guard (Amendment) Bill, 2001. (i)
 - (ii) The Essential Services (Maintenance) Ordinance Repeal Bill, 2001 as passed by Lok Sabha.
- 2. Consideration and passing of following Bills:
 - The Institute of Technology (Amendment) Bill. 2001.
 - (ii) The All India Institute of Medical Sciences (Amendment) Bill. 2001.
 - (iii) The Code of Civil Procedure (Amendment) Bill, 2000.
- Discussion on Statutory Resolution seeking disapproval of the 3. Passports (Amendment) Ordinance, 2001 and consideration and passing of the Passports (Amendment) Bill, 2001.
- 4. Consideration and return of following Appropriation Bills, as passed by Lok Sabha:
 - (i) The Appropriation (Railways) No. 3 Bill. 2001.
 - (ii) The Appropriation (Railways) No. 4 Bill, 2001.
 - (iii) The Appropriation No. 4 Bill. 2001.

- General discussion on Manipur Budget for 2001-2002.
- Consideration and return of the Manipur Appropriation Bill, 2001 after it has been passed by Lok Sabha.
- Consideration and passing of the Jute Manufacturers Cess (Amendment) Bill, 2001 after it has been passed by Lok Sabha.
- Resolutions seeking approval of the House to the rejection of Award of Board of Arbitration on:
 - (i) Grant of Special pay to Private Secretaries (Merged grades 'A' and 'B' of the CSSS) in CA reference number 2 of 1991.
 - (ii) Upward revision of pay scale in the grade of stenographers Grade 'D' in CA reference number 11 of 1992.
 - (iii) Revision of rates of Over Time Allowance in CA reference number 6 of 1981.
 - (iv) Reduction of working hours of the operative offices of the Departments of Posts and Telecommunications in CA reference number 9(a) of 1980.

MATTERS RAISED WITH PERMISSION

Alleged presence of five Union Ministers in A VHP meeting

THE LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION (DR. MANMOHAN SINGH): Mr. Chairman, Sir, yesterday a prominent newspaper carried a very disturbing report that five Ministers of the Union Government attended a recent meeting convened by the Vishwa Hindu Parishad and that that meeting endorsed VHP's decision to start the construction of a temple at the disputed site in Ayodhya by 12th March, 2002, despite the orders of the Supreme Court to maintain the *status quo*.

Sir, that members of the Union Council of Ministers should provide such direct support and encouragement to patently illegal acts is, indeed, very shocking, and such blatant defiance of the law of the land has to be squarely condemned.